

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER APPROVAL OF MODIFIED TRANSPORTATION CONFORMITY BUDGETS CONTAINED IN THE 2007 AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR ATTAINING THE FEDERAL 8-HOUR OZONE AND PM2.5 STANDARDS IN THE SOUTH COAST AIR BASIN AND THE COACHELLA VALLEY

The California Air Resources Board (ARB or Board) will conduct a public hearing to consider approval of modifications to the transportation conformity budgets contained in the 2007 Air Quality Management Plan for attaining the federal 8-hour ozone and PM2.5 ambient air quality standards in the South Coast Air Basin, and the Federal 8-hour Ozone standard in the Coachella Valley. The plans were approved by the Board on September 27, 2007; the conformity budgets were approved by the Board on November 15, 2007. If adopted, ARB will submit these modified elements to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency for approval as a revision to the California State Implementation Plan.

DATE OF HEARING: This item will be considered by the Board at a one-day hearing which will commence at 9:00 a.m. on April 24, 2008. Please consult the agenda for the meeting, which will be available at <http://www.arb.ca.gov> at least 10 days before April 24, 2008, to see the order in which items will be considered.

LOCATION: Caltrans Building, 111 Grand Avenue, Oakland, California 94612.

Instructions on how to provide written and oral comments are included in the more detailed meeting notice available on ARB's website at <http://www.arb.ca.gov/planning/sip/sip.htm>. The modified transportation conformity budgets and other supporting documents will also be posted on this website. Paper copies of these items may be obtained from ARB's Public Information Office at (916) 322-2990. Further inquiries regarding these items should be directed to Mr. Dennis Wade, Air Pollution Specialist, at (916) 327-2963.

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